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Applicant(s) : Hideaki Fukuda, et al.  
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Filed : February 24, 2000  
For : A THIN-FILM FORMING  
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FUNCTION FOR  
CLEANING THE INSIDE  
Examiner : Unknown  
Group Art Unit : 1762

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Dear Sir:

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- (X) A Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.
- (X) A PTO Form 1449 with three (3) references.
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-1410.
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed is form PTO-1449 listing references that are also enclosed. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the receipt of a first Office Action on the merits, and presumably no fee is required in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(3). If a first Office Action on the merits was mailed before the mailing date of this Statement, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,

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